



PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY
(RCW 34.05.310)

CR-101 (7/23/95)

Do NOT use for expedited repeal

Agency: Public Disclosure Commission

Subject of possible rule making:

WAC 390-16-012 Forms -- Registration Statement for Candidates.

(a) Statutes authorizing the agency to adopt rules on this subject:

RCW 42.17.370(1)

(b) Reasons why rules on this subject may be needed and what they might accomplish:

WAC 390-16-012 is the official form providing the statement of organization by candidates.

The Commission will consider whether to change the instructional language provided for candidates selecting the Mini Reporting or Abbreviated Reporting option. New language would indicate an increase in the threshold limits from \$500 to as much as \$1,000 for Mini Reporting and from \$2,000 to \$3,000 for Abbreviated Reporting. New language would also increase from \$200 to \$300 the maximum aggregate amount that can be accepted from any one contributor.

(c) Identify other federal and state agencies that regulate this subject and the process coordinating the rule with these agencies: None

(d) Process for developing new rule (check all that apply):

☐ Negotiated rule making

☐ Pilot rule making

☐ Agency study

☒ Other (describe) At its meeting on February 27, 2001, the Commission is expected to discuss whether to move forward with a rule amendment of WAC 390-16-012. Public comment will be welcome at this meeting. Interested persons are invited to submit written comments by February 26, 2001 to Doug Ellis, PDC, PO Box 40908, Olympia, WA 98504-0908. Written comments received by Monday, February 19, 2001, will be provided to Commissioners in advance of the meeting.

(e) How interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication:

(List names, addresses, telephone, fax numbers of persons to contact; describe meetings, other exchanges of information, etc.)

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A public hearing on this matter may occur on April 24, 2001.

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